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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1767.

FROM THE LONDON EVENING POST.

TO THE PRINTER.

BEING out of Employ, and hearing that your Paragraph-maker is dead, I humbly offer myself a Candidate to succeed him; flattering myself that I am every Way qualified for that Office; my Ancestors having been all, to a Man, great Politicians and News-mongers. The latter Part of my Father's Days were spent in the Compter and Bethlehem; and even when there, his whole Thoughts and Employ were dedicated to the Public Good. I mentioned my present Project to a Friend; he told me that I was mad; that you do not pay People to write your News; and that I was going the Way my poor Father went. "Poor Creature's mad I think." If, Sir, I am so lucky as to succeed, it will make me very happy, being at this Time in Want of Monies. It was not always so with me; for, till lately, I had a very pretty Shop of Business; I failed; I could not get my Monies in. Do you know I had near 40s. owing me when I failed, which was more than would have paid my Creditors? But to the Purpose: Under-written is a Specimen of my Abilities. If you approve of it, and will employ me, I promise you never to turn any Thing out of my Hands worse. I am, Sir, Your humble Servant,

PETER SCRIBBLE.

P. S. If you can spare me so much as Half a Crown, without hurting yourself and Family, I shall be very thankful for it, being really in Want of Monies. You may deduct it out of the first Payment.

I'll call at your House on Sunday, that being the most convenient Day for me, at present, as my Affairs stand.

If you employ me, I must insist on being allowed One of your Devils to take you the News as fast as I make it; my Shoes and Feet being bad, hinders me from running fast. A Devil's Imp will do my Business.

The grand National Races do not begin till next Spring: The Jockeys are to start from most of the great Towns in England, and ride to St. Stephen's Post. As jockeying is allowed, 'tis thought there will be Sport, many thrown out of their Seats, many distanced, and much Money lost.

The K--g's Coats and Badges will be rowed for soon. 'Tis hoped by all honest People, that the best Sculls will come in first.

Last Night was murdered, at a House of Ill-Fame, by a Set of Female Assassins, the Reputation of many various Ladies. Pray stop their Mouths.

As the Justices and Parish Officers in, and about this Metropolis (for Reasons best known to themselves) do not chuse to insert the Names of the unjust Bakers, in order that they might be branded with Infamy, a Petition is to be laid before the next Parliament, craving Leave to erect, at the Public Cost, a Pillory in each Street wherein a Baker lives; and, upon Conviction, each Baker to be put thereon, and instead of rotten Eggs, to be pelted with his own light Bread. The Bread, when broke, to be given to the Poor. Note, Only Halfpenny Rolls to be thrown at them, for the first Offence.

Yesterday Morning Two dead Men were carried in a Baker's Basket to a Public-House, and there cut up.

Last Night were interred, the last Remains of English Hospitality; Charity, Benevolence, Virtue, Honour, Honesty, and Chastity, who supported the Pall, were pushed into the Grave, and covered over likewise.

To be let, and entered on immediately, on Leases for Life, many of them in good Repair, some Thousands of young unmarried Women: They are to be viewed every Evening, till they are let, at the following Places, viz. Vauxhall, Mary-le-bon, Sadler's Wells, Park, &c.

Last Night were taken up, by the Watch, and carried to the Round-House, Nineteen full Pots of Strong-Beer. They were all discharged and let out again before the Justice was up.

As Provisions still remain dear, we hear the City is going to fit out, at their own Expence, for the public Good, a large Fleet of Ships, to bring home Belly-Timber, vulgarly called Turtle. Rare News for Old England!

This Morning about Ten o'Clock, was hanged, pursuant to its Sentence, a fine fat Haunch of Venison. It is to hang a Fortnight, and then to be eaten by the Overseers of ——— Parish, for the Benefit of the Poor.

A Foreigner is taken up for ravishing a Lady of Distinction with his Fiddle-Stick. His Trial comes on next Concert Night.

To be disposed of, to the highest Bidder, warranted sound, Wind and Limb, rising Sixteen, carries her Head in the right Place, has all her Paces, is in good Condition, and able to carry any Weight, a fine brown Girl. The Reason her present Owner parts with her, is, that he is going to be married, and has no further Occasion for her.

Yesterday Bob Pilfer, was christened in the Parish Horse-Pond. There was a great Number of the Mobility assisted at the Ceremony.

To all Foreigners, and others.——This is to give Notice, That the English vulgar Tongue is taught at Billingsgate, by a Company of qualified Fish-Women, upon very reasonable Terms.

This Morning was married at St. Giles's Church, James Tripe, Esq; Carcase Butcher, to Miss Biddy Treakle, only Daughter, and Heiress, of the late Timothy Treakle, Esq; Ginger-Bread Baker. After Ceremony was over, the new married Couple set out for their Country-Seat at Marrow-Bone.

This Morning a young Man and young Woman made away with themselves in St. Clement's Church. The young Woman was driven to it by her own Father's Persuasion; and a Clergyman was observed to be very busy in tying the Noose hard. A Reverend Officiate at the Savoy Chapel, was transported some Years ago for a similar Practice.

Last Night was safely delivered of Twins, the celebrated Mrs. Evans, a favourite Cat of Lady Love-Puppy's, to the great Joy of her Ladyship.

Eloped, at Two this Morning, from her Nephew and Guardian, Miss Charlotte Manlove, Spinster, aged 74, along with Mr. Sampson Thickset, aged 18. 'Tis supposed they are gone to Scotland. Any one that will stop the Parties on this Side Matrimony, and deliver the young Lady up to her Nephew, shall be handsomely rewarded.

On Sunday last, a young Lady, at the Court End of the Town, lost every Thing she had to stake, but her Honour, at Cards.

Last Night a Gentleman's House was robbed (by one who had the Appearance of a Gentleman) and the following Goods stole out of it, viz. A young Lady, aged 16, a Lap-Dog, a Monkey, a Squirrel, a Dormouse, a French-Woman, a Parrot, Two large Trunks of Wearing-Apparel, a small Cabinet full of Jewels, Watches, Rings, and Female Trinkets, a Drawer full of Pomatum, Powder, Combs, Patches, Paint, Lip-Salve, Tooth-Powder and Brushes, a Pound of Pins, and one Needle, without an Eye. The Gentleman drops, in his Haste, the following Things: The French-Woman, Lap-Dog, Dormouse, Parrot, Monkey, Squirrel, and the Drawers of Combustibles. Stop Thief.

Just imported, from Holland, 1000 Barrels of Cruelty, Craft, Subtlety, and Dissimulation; and one small Barrel of Dutch Honesty.

From Italy, a large Cargo of Fiddlers, Dancers, and Eunuchs.

From Spain, many Bladders of Pride.

From Portugal, 1000 Chests of Ingratitude.

Exported to France, within this Month, 1115 live Sheep, and 2000 cwt. of English Wool.

Imported from thence, Nine Hundred Perukemakers, Milliners, Mantuamakers, Valets, Cooks, Preceptors, Dancing-Masters, and Jesuits.

STOCKHOLM, *August* 21.

DURING the Course of this Summer, a contagious Distemper has manifested itself among the Cattle at Elfsdahl-Hard, which has destroyed a great Number of them, and has not yet ceased its Ravages. The Beasts which were attacked with it have their Necks distorted, the Mouth and Nose red and inflamed, and their Eyes covered with a Pellicle: They die of the most violent Convulsions the Third Day of their Illness.

VIENNA, *August* 29. The last Letters from Constantinople, which are dated the 1st Instant, advise, that a contagious Distemper rages there in almost every Quarter of the City, and had likewise appeared in the Suburbs of Pera and Galata. They add, that on the 30th of last Month, the Interpreter of the Russian Resident being sent for by the Grand Vizir, had a Conference of Two Hours with him, and some Persons presume that a great Difference has arisen between the Two Empires.

PARIS, *Sept.* 11. They write from Bourdeaux, that Captain Clemenceau is arrived there, who commanded the Zephyr of Nantz. On the 5th of March last, the Vessel being in Danger of Shipwreck on the Coast of Guinea, the Inhabitants of the Country came down, boarded the Ship, and carried away the Goods. Five of the Crew were killed, and the rest, after being stripped, were carried ashore, where they continued in Misery for several Days. Some Days before this, an English Ship suffered the same Treatment. Part of Captain Clemenceau's Crew were taken on board Two French Ships, the Rosalie, and the Algonquin; but the Captain went in an English Ship to Barbados, from whence he took his Passage to Martinico, and from thence to Europe.

Sept. 14. The Abbe Rochon, who sailed from the Road of Brest, on the 7th of April, on board the Union, commanded by Count de Breugnon, who went to Morocco, is returned from his Voyage, having made his intended Observations. He has viewed several Eclipses of Jupiter's Satellites with an Instrument of his own Invention, which obviates a Difficulty with which these Observations have been hitherto attended. The Difficulty consisted in keeping the Star in view during the Agitation of the Ship, by a Telescope not magnifying less than Sixty Times; but with the Abbe's Instrument, whatever be the Motion of the Ship, the Star can never be lost above Four Seconds of Time. It has been approved by a Committee of the Academy of Sciences, to whom a Memoir has been sent for Examination, containing an Account of the Observations made with it.

LONDON, *September* 12.

Wagers of a Hundred Guineas to Five are offered, that a Septennial Parliament will not be granted to the People of Ireland.

According to Letters from Leghorn, it was expected the Malecontents of Corsica would be in Possession of the whole Island before Christmas next.

A great Personage, we hear, exclaimed, when he was told of the Right Hon. Mr. Townsend's Death, "Then we have lost the ablest Minister in England."

Sept. 17. We hear from Liverpool, that Mr. Woods, a Mathematician there, observed on the 31st Ult. about Half past Ten at Night, a Comet arise out of the South-East Quarter of the Hemisphere, about 53 Degrees above the Horizon, and about 20 in Gemini. Its Tail described an Angle of about 30 Degrees in Length, and its Direction was towards the Pleiades, where it vanished away.

A Letter from on board his Majesty's Ship Dolphin, dated Port Famine, January 20, 1767, says, "On the 28th of September we left St. Jago, sailed for the Streights of Magellan, and arrived there after Three Months Voyage. When we approached the Shore, we were followed by great Numbers of Men on Horseback; and in the Evening we anchored off Cape Virgin Mary; in the Morning there were upon the Beach near 300 Patagonians, hallooing to us. The Captain went on Shore with Three Boats, manned and armed; and to be sure of their Height, he carried a Standard on Shore, and measured several of them, and found them to be about Seven Feet high. The Captain brought Five of them on board, and gave them Victuals and Drink, Ribbons, Beads, and other Things. They are all well proportioned to their Height; their Horses are about the same Size with ours; and they have Cane Spurs, and Thong Whips. Their Cloathing is the Skins of wild Beasts. They seemed very much pleased, and hallooed us a great Way through the Streights. On the 29th of December we arrived at this Place; it is a desolate Spot, nothing but Wood and Mountains of Snow. It is a very cold Climate, but plentiful for Wood and Water, wild Fowl and Fish."

Sept. 19. It is most certain that a Ministerial Negotiation is now carrying on, and that it is on a Basis that strongly promises the utmost Permanency, being greatly different from, and infinitely more extensive and conciliating, than any proposed Administration hitherto in Agitation.

We are told that the Dukes of Newcastle, Bedford, Northumberland, and Richmond; the Marquis of Rockingham; the Earls of Halifax, Sandwich, Gower, and Shelburne; the Right Hon. Mr. Dowdeswell, and Mr. Conway; and Isaac Barre, and Edmund Burke, Esquires, are all included in the intended new Ministry.

They write from Mobille, in West-Florida, that the Spanish Man of War, Nuestra Senhora del Carmin, with a Regiment of Foot on board, from the Havannah to New-Orleans, was lately cast away near Cape Corrientes, in the Gulf of Mexico, when the Ship was entirely lost, and Part of the People taken Prisoners by the Indians.

The Number of Cadets, educated in the Royal School at Woolwich, has hitherto been confined to Forty-eight, but it is now to be extended, under the Patronage and Superintendance of the Marquis of Granby, to One Hundred.

It is said, that the high Office of Chancellor of the Exchequer, will certainly be bestowed on the Right Hon. George Grenville before the Meeting of the next Session of Parliament; till when, it it thought Lord Mansfield will continue in that Office.

By the best Accounts from Abroad, we are assured that the great Object now in Agitation between the Courts of Paris, Madrid, and Lisbon, turns on the best Manner of totally excluding the Papal Jurisdiction out of their respective Dominions, and engaging other Roman Catholic Powers to do the same.

It is said the Portuguese Court have given a very insolent Answer to our Remonstrances; the Purport of which is said to be, that if we do not like our present Situation of Trading with them, we may take what Remedy we please, for they shall buy where they can cheapest; and as to their Wines, we cannot do without them, for no other Wines will adulterate with our made Wines.

We are informed by recent Accounts from Jamaica, that that Island has as yet received no Benefit from the free Port lately established there; that Trade is very dead in it, and all our other Islands, under the torrid Zone; and that the Spaniards cannot be prevailed on to resume their Connections with our Subjects in those Parts, which were broke off by the inconsiderate Measure of converting our Men of War into Spanish Guarda Costas.

A Letter from Malaga, dated July 21, says, "It is impossible to express the Hatred many of the Inhabitants of this Place shew to the English Protestants, which appeared in their Declaration, that they would not let the Body of our late worthy Consul, Nathaniel Ware, Esq; rest in Peace in his Grave; on which Account it was privately interr'd in the Dead of the Night, attended only by Three or Four English Merchants; the next Evening the Flags were hoisted on board the Ships in the Harbour, and the Guns were fired, as is usual at the Interment of any great Personage; by which the Inhabitants were disappointed. The Reason of their shewing this Resentment was occasioned by some Gentlemen, in Mr. Ware's House, not bowing to the Host, as it passed by the Window, a few Months before; in consequence of which, Three Priests broke into the House of one of the young Gentlemen present, with an Intent to assassinate him,

from whom he received Twelve dangerous Wounds in the Head and Body; but happily survived."

Extract of a Letter from Dominica, dated October 10.

"Two Gentlemen just returned from Martinico, bring a Confirmation of the Ports in that Island and Guadaloupe being to be shut against any English Vessel, after the 31st of December next, upon any Pretence of Business whatever, even Lumber and live Cattle. There is at present great Demand for Fish here; but the French being abundantly supplied with Flour from Old France, makes that Article in no Demand: Heavy Philadelphia Flour was retailed by the Merchants here at 45 Shillings a Barrel, this Week. Many Vessels from Philadelphia, and other Parts of the Continent, laden with Provisions, have touched here in the Course of 30 Days, and all proceed further to Leeward.—We have been much afflicted with a putrid Fever, and many People have (and continue) to die; they scarce ever continue longer than Three or Four Days after the Illness seizes them.—Sugars are in great request here, there being seldom less than Three or Four European Ships buying them up as fast as they arrive from the adjacent Islands. —We are now certain of a separate Government, and expect an Assembly to be elected before the Expiration of the present Year, which, to the Honour of the Chamber of Commerce, may be said to have been effected by the prudent Measures they have taken, and its generally expected our present worthy Governor will be continued, which will be much to the Satisfaction of every Well-Wisher to the Island. By a Sloop, Captain Walker, just arrived from Eustatia, we have the following Account, that he tried that Place, St. Christophers, Antigua, and Montserrat, and that he could not sell his Bread and Flour at any Rate, and the Captain further says, there is great Quantities stored at all the above Places.—The Spirit of Party runs very high here and at the Grenades. We have already begun to pick Coffee, which is expected will be One-fourth more in Quantity than has ever been produced from the Island of Dominica in One Crop before. Our Collector has finished his House by far the best of any upon the Island. And the Church has Divine Service performed in it regularly every Sunday, and is the First erected in the ceded Islands, which was built by Subscription. The Pensacola Packet has Orders to call here, for the Convenience of our Merchants, which will be very agreeable, as heretofore she used to leave the Dominica Mail at the Grenades.——The Four and Half per Cent Duty upon our Produce, causes much murmuring, being not laid upon us by Act of Parliament, or Act of Assembly, but only by Prerogative Royal, which is looked upon as unconstitutional and dangerous, not only to us, but all his Majesty's Subjects."

BOSTON, *November 5.*

Last Week we had a very heavy Storm of Wind and Rain, the Severity of it was on Wednesday, no great Damage done in this Harbour; but in the Bay the Wind being violent at N. E. many Vessels were in great Distress: It is said 17 Sail, chiefly Sloops, were drove on the Southern Shore; a Brig from the West-Indies, —— Brown, Master, laden with Molasses, drove on the Back of Cape Cod, the Vessel and most of the Cargo lost, valued at 1000 l. Sterling; a Brig —— Smith, Master, from Newfoundland, a-shore at the same Place, the Vessel lost; a Brig from Petersburg, John Bryant, Master, a-shore near Barnstable, but likely to get off; a Sloop from North-Carolina, a-shore near Marshfield, the Vessel lost, but the Cargo saved; a Sloop near Duxbury, the Vessel, Cargo, and all the People lost: Two dead Bodies have been taken up, several Chests, some Bedding, great Quantities of Cheese, Butter, Cyder, &c. were washed a-shore, by which it is supposed she was from Connecticut; but have not learnt the Master's Name.

A Snow from the West-Indies, Capt. Somerville, bound to Piscataqua, was cast away on the back of Newcastle; the Vessel and Cargo are said to be lost.

Nov. 9. In Capt. Watt, who arrived here last Week from London, came Passengers Henry Hulton, Esq; William Burch, Esq; with his Lady and Family, and Charles Paxton, Esq; Three of the Commissioners for the Receipt and Management of his Majesty's Customs and other Duties in America; also Samuel Venner, Esq; Secretary to the Board of Commissioners, with his Lady and Family; John Porter, Esq; Comptroller-General; John Williams, Esq; Inspector-General; and Three or Four Clerks. The Hon. John Temple, Esq; and John Robinson, Esq; were in America before.

We hear the Subscription Paper for encreasing our own Manufactures, and laying aside certain enumerated Articles, fills up surprizingly; and that said Measure is so well approved of in the Country, that Town Meetings are now calling, in order to agree upon similar Measures. The public Papers and private Advices acquaint us, That Rhode-Island, Connecticut, New-York, New-Jersey, &c. &c. are steadily pursuing Measures for lessening their foreign Imports, by encouraging Frugality and their own Manufactures. It cannot be disputed that the Colonies are greatly in Debt, so that whatever is drawn from us by Way of Duty, must be those Monies which would go to Britain, as Pay, and to procure more Goods. *A Necessity is laid upon us*, to be industrious and frugal, and *Woe be unto us*, if we are extravagant.

Saturday last we were favoured with a Sight of the China Tea-Plant in Foliage, being cultivated by Capt. Harrison of this Town; some of the dried Leaves being by Mrs. Harrison presented with the Shrub, in Flavour exactly resembling the common Green-Tea.——The Shrub is annual, sowing its own Seed in this Climate, and wants nothing but the Method of Cure to render it useful thro' the Continent.

One of the Portsmouth Packets was cast away in the late Storm, going round from hence, with Goods on board, to the Value of £4000 Sterling, belonging to the Merchants there.

CHARLES-TOWN, (S. CAROLINA) *October 6.*

Michael Muckenfuss, dispatched by the Post-Master General, with the Mail for St. Augustine, returned here last Wednesday, and gives the following Account, upon Oath, that on the 20th ult. (Three Days after he left Savannah) he reached the Store on Santilly River, kept by James Lemmon, who told him, that the Day before, while George Mills, Benjamin Baker, Jeremiah Wylly, and one Cummins, were driving some Cattle across a Run of Water, near the said Wylly's House, the Three last mentioned were fired upon and killed on the Spot; Mills made his Escape, and rode towards Wylly's, where he saw Five Indians killing Two Women, Three Children, and old Mr. Mills, his own Father, on which he rode off; he knew the Indians to be Creeks, belonging to the Village of Allatchway, who, to the Number of Fifteen, had been for some Time hunting in that Neighbourhood. The House where this Murder was committed, is in East Florida, on St. Mary's River, Fifteen Miles above the Ferry, which the said Muckenfuss reached on the 22d in the Evening, but finding no Boat, and no Answer from the Ferry House, on the other Side, he supposed the People were fled, and not being able to cross the River, he was obliged to return.

October 20. Mr. Job Elliot, living at Saltketcher, has brought to Goal one Moon, chief of the Villains who have done so much Damage in the back Parts of this Province, and whose Name has struck such Horror into the Minds of his Majesty's Subjects; Mr. Elliot met with him accidentally, a considerable Distance from home, and having some Remembrance of him when a Boy, decoyed him to a convenient Place, and then secured him, agreeable to the Governor's Proclamation; and without any Assistance, or other Authority, brought him safe to Charles-Town Goal, where he is now lodged; and it is hoped, the numerous Robberies and Outrages, it is said he has been guilty of, will be known to some of the many Persons who will be Attendant at the ensuing Sessions, so that there may be no Want of Evidence to bring him to his deserved Punishment. Said Moon is own Brother to one of the same Name, and Half Brother to one Black, who was executed about Three Sessions ago.

NEWPORT, *November 9.*

Captain Giles Stanton arrived here, last Saturday, from Monto-Christi, in Twenty Days Passage. He informs, that the Spanish General at St. Domingo had sent Orders to the Mount, forbidding any English Vessel to lie there more than 24 Hours.

NEW-YORK, *November 16.*

Captain Sheldon, from Newfoundland, in 17 Days, informs us, that Governor Palliser had lately condemned there, a French Ship and Cargo, which he found out of her Limits, for having only 6 Beaver Skins on board; the Vessel was afterwards cleared, and gone out of Port, but the Cargo detained.

This Morning the Snow Jersey, Capt. Lawrence, arrived here from Bristol, in 8 Weeks: He took up at Sea, and has brought in with him, the Crew of the Ketch Mercury, Capt. Kennedy, of and from this Port for the West-Indies; which Vessel went all to Pieces in a Gale of Wind, about Six Days since, being then only Seven Days from this Port.

PHILADELPHIA, *November 19.*

Extract of a Letter from London, September 19, 1767.

"As to Politics, every Thing still remains as it has done for some Time past. Lord Mansfield is made Chancellor of the Exchequer *pro Tempore*, till our great Men can agree among themselves, or till some spirited, and honest Man, shall take the Lead (which I wish may be the Case) and, trusting in the King's Countenance and Support, who means nothing but the Happiness of his People, make a proper Arrangement of the Candidates for public Offices, and establish a Ministry upon a solid and respectable Footing; a Situation highly necessary for this Country.——Perhaps, in a few Weeks, you may hear something to the Purpose, but don't depend on it, for I think we were never farther from a Settlement than at this Juncture; I wish I may be found to have been mistaken."

We hear from Burlington, that the new constructed light travelling Waggon, contrived by RICHARD WELLS, Esq; on a full Trial last Week, was found to answer its Design, to great Exactness. Among other Improvements, his Invention to discharge the Horses, in case of their running away, is particularly worth Attention. This is done, at the Expence of about a Pistole, by the Riders (in the Inside of the Carriage) only pulling a String, when the Horses go off, and leave the Carriage standing. An Invention that bids fair to be of great Use and Safety to those who ride in close Carriages.

ARRIVALS in EUROPE.

From New-York. The Capts. Graham, and Knowler, at Cork; Capt. Nicholson, at Waterford; Capt. Scott, at London; and Capt. Tate, at Portsmouth. From Maryland. Capt. Robinson, at London, Capt. Hanrick, at Dover, and Capt. Haddon, at Gravesend. From Virginia. Capts. Thomas, and Sampson, at Bristol; Capt. Quinney, at Liverpool; Capt. Livingston, at Dover; Capt. Nunns, at Lancaster.

ANNAPOLIS, *November 26.*

On Monday last, Mr. CHARLES WALLACE, was elected one of the Aldermen of this City, vacant by the death of MICHAEL MACNEMARA, Esq; and THOMAS JENINGS, Esq; was chosen one of the Common Council, in the room of CHARLES WALLACE, Esq; And,

On Tuesday, came on the Election for Two Representatives to serve in the next General Assembly of this Province, when JOHN HALL, and WILLIAM PACA, Esqrs. were chosen without Opposition.

Elk-Ridge Landing, November 17, 1767.

THE Subscriber, pursuant to the Acceptance of his Proposal, at opening his Store, expects that all those who were pleased to favour him with their Custom, will, without Compulsion, comply with the Terms proposed: And that none may have the least evasive Excuse, because of the scarcity of Money, he will take Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Flax-seed, or any other merchantable Commodity, at the Current Price; and every Delinquent, who will not comply with these Terms, or come and settle his Account, by giving his Bond or Note, may expect to be used as the Rigour of the Law directs.

SAMUEL DORSEY, Jun.

To be Sold by PUBLIC VENDUE, at the House of Mr. THOMAS ELLIOT, near Queen-Anne, on Thursday the 17th of December next, for Sterling Cash, or good London Bills of Exchange,

A PARCEL of Healthy Country-born NEGROES, consisting of Men, Women, and Children; amongst which are some valuable young Fellows, that are capable of any Kind of Plantation Business.

*** The Sale to begin at XI o'Clock.

JOHN HAMS, Jun.

Elk-Ridge Landing, *November 23, 1767.*

ALL Persons indebted to me, are desired to settle and pay of their Accounts, &c. by the 25th of *December* next, for which (as Cash is now in Circulation) I will take any Kind of Country Produce, and allow the highest Market Price. Those who do not comply, I flatter myself, will not think hard of being sued and warranted, which really will be the Case, without Distinction, as I cannot, nor will not, give any further Indulgence.

I have a Tract of LAND lying in the Barrons of *Baltimore* County, containing about Two Thousand Five Hundred Acres, on which is a great deal of fine Meadow, the Soil is particularly adapted for making colour'd Tobacco. I will either sell the Tract together, or Parcel it to suit the Purchasers.

(3w) JOHN DORSEY.

THE Subscriber having a good ASSORTMENT of GOODS remaining on Hand, he will dispose of them on very easy Terms, for Cash, Tobacco, or Bills. Short Credit will be given to the Purchaser, giving Bond with Security. He also desires all Persons who have open Accounts with him, either in the Store, or Balances, as Sheriff of *Anne-Arundel* County, that they will come and settle the same, to prevent such Steps as would be disagreeable to them, as well as to

WILLIAM STEWART.

To be SOLD on the Premises, to the highest Bidder, on Tuesday the 15th Day of December *next, for good Bills of Exchange, or ready Cash,*

PART of a TRACT of LAND, called ADDITION TO HAPPY CHOICE, lying in *Frederick* County, near the *Sugar-Loaf-Mountain*, containing Three Hundred Acres.

Any Person inclinable to purchase, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subscriber, at *Prince-George's* County, near *Queen-Anne.*

(2w) JACOB SPRIGG.

FREDERICK County, *Nov. 22, 1767.*

ALL Persons who have any Claims or Demands against the late Mr. *Thomas Norris*, of *Frederick* County, deceased, or against Mr. *William Norris*, as his Son and Heir at Law, also lately deceased, or against the said *William Norris*, in his own Right, are desired to communicate the same to Mrs. *Catherine Norris*, Widow of the aforesaid *William Norris*, living near Mr. *George Truck's*, on *Little Pipe-Creek, Frederick* County. As Mr. *Thomas Norris* died possessed of a considerable Real Estate, Part of which, was sold by *William Norris*, his Son and Heir at Law, and applied towards Payment of his Debts; and the said *William Norris* having left an Infant, about 18 Months old, the Creditors are desired to signify their Consent, to an Application to the General Assembly of this Province, for a Law, to enable some Person to sell the Lands of the aforesaid *Thomas Norris*, for the Payment of his Debts, as it is supposed there will be sufficiency arising from the Sale, to pay all Debts, and leave something to the Heir at Law.

(w6) CATHERINE NORRIS.

VIRGINIA, *October 16, 1767.*

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *Northumberland* County, about the Middle of *February* last, a Negro Fellow named SOLOMON, aged 19, healthy and well made, about 5 Feet 10 or 11 Inches high, a smooth Face, and good Countenance, of a tawny Complexion, he is much bruised between the Knuckles and the first Joint of the Two middle Fingers of his left Hand, and has a Cut a-cross his right Hand: Had on, when he went away, a WELSH Cotton Jacket, with Pocket-Flaps before, with a red Cape round the Collar, a Pair of Country Cloth Breeches, a Pair of black Plush ditto, a light coloured Bearskin Coat, with white Metal Buttons, and a Belt to button round the Middle; he understands a little of the Cooper and Carpenters Trade.

Whoever takes up said Slave, and brings him to the Subscriber, living on the Mouth of Great *Wicomico* River, shall have FIVE POUNDS Sterling Reward, from

(w4) COLIN CAMPBELL.

*** If said Fellow is in any Public Jail, the Keeper is requested to signify it to *C. C.*

Anne-Arundel County, *November 24, 1767.*

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, living near *Patapsco* Ferry, an *English* Convict Servant Man, named BARTHOLOMEW CROSS, about 30 Years of Age, a tall slender Fellow, sandy Complexion, and has a scald Head: Had on when he went away, a brown *Devonshire* Jacket, a Nankeen ditto under it, old white Shirt, a new Pair of brown Half-thick Breeches, with one Pocket, a Pair of black and white Stockings, footed with white Yarn, an old Pair of *English* Shoes, two old Felt Hats sewed together round the Edge with blue Yarn, and a new worsted Cap. Whoever takes up said Servant and brings him to the Subscriber, or secures him so as he may be had again, shall have a Reward of TWENTY SHILLINGS if taken in the County, and FORTY SHILLINGS if out of the County, besides what the Law allows, paid by

CHRISTOPHER GARDENER.

*** He broke *Queen-Anne* Jail sometime in *September* last, and went by the Name of *Richard Adwell.*

Charles County, *November 16, 1767.*

THE Subscriber, being at this Time, a Prisoner for Debt, and very desirous of recovering his Liberty, as speedily as possible, earnestly requests his several Creditors to meet at *Upper-Marlborough*, on Wednesday the 25th Instant, being *Prince-George's* County Court, when the best Proposals, for that Purpose, he can make, will be laid before them.

JOHN MACPHERSON.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, at *Mount Clare*, near *Baltimore-Town*, on the 25th of *October*, a Bay HORSE, about Fourteen and a Half Hands high, paces, has a Hog-Mane, Bob-Tail, a small Star in his Forehead, some grey Hairs about his Head, and one of his Hind Feet white, has no perceivable Brand.

Whoever will bring said Horse to the Subscriber, shall receive FORTY SHILLINGS Reward; and whoever secures the Thief, so that he may be brought to Justice, shall received TEN POUNDS, paid by

CHARLES CARROLL.

(1f) *St. Mary's* County, *October* 15, 1767.

TAKEN up by the Subscriber, in the Mouth of *Clement's* Bay, a Plank-Boat, Fourteen Feet Keel, Six Feet Beam, and not quite half wore.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

HENRY M'MULLIN.

THERE is at the Plantation of *William Levens*, at *Elk-Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a large sorrel Horse, branded on the Near Shoulder P S, and has a bald Face.

The Owner may have him again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is in the Possession of *Arnold Elder*, living near *Thom's* Creek, *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a small black trotting MARE, with many white Hairs over her Body, hath an imperfect Brand on the near Thigh, a little above the Ham, hath a large Scar of a Wound healed, one white fore Foot, and is about Seven Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

In the PRESS, *and speedily will be publiſhed*,

THE

MARYLAND ALMANACK, for 1768.

Containing ſeveral intereſting Articles in Proſe *and* Verſe.

ANNAPOLIS, *November* 19, 1767.

THE COMMISSIONERS appointed by LORD BALTIMORE, for the Sale of his Lordſhip's MANORS and RESERV'D LANDS, give Notice, That on Thurſday the 10th of *December* next, they will meet at the Subſcriber's Houſe, and will expoſe to Sale, to the higheſt Bidder, his Lordſhip's Manor in KENT County, containing 8000 Acres; as likewiſe Part of his Lordſhip's Manor in QUEEN-ANNE'S County, containing about 5000 Acres. The above Lands will be put up in Lots of 500 Acres, or otherwiſe, as ſhall be moſt agreeable to the Purchaſers. The Authority of the COMMISSIONERS, and the Terms of Sale, may be known by applying to the Subſcriber.

Signed per *Order*, JOHN CLAPHAM.

November 6, 1767.

AS the Subſcriber intends ſettling in *Baltimore-Town*, he hereby informs the Public, that he will ſell, on the 10th of *December* next, his Plantation near *Upper-Marlborough*, which is poſſeſſed of every neceſſary and convenient Improvement, and very ſuitable for the Reſidence of the firſt Gentleman in the Province; it being well wooded, and known to produce as fine Tobacco and Corn as any in theſe Parts. He has likewiſe for Sale, Twenty choice Country born SLAVES, the eldeſt not exceeding 25 Years of Age; amongſt which are a Parcel of valuable Plow and Cartmen, a Cooper and Sawyer, and ſeveral Wenches, Boys, and Girls; and, having more Houſe-Servants than I chuſe to carry to a Town, I intend ſelling as noted a Houſe-Wench, with Two as fine Boys, (her Sons) as could be wiſh'd for; as alſo all the Utenſils of the above Plantation, with the Stock thereon, conſiſting of Horſes, Hogs, Sheep, Cattle, and a Quantity of Indian Corn, Fodder, and Tobacco. I alſo intend ſelling my Land and Store-Houſe in *Upper-Marlborough* Town, and will take Bonds, with ſufficient Security, as Payment for the above Land, Slaves, &c.

As ſeveral Perſons have been a long Time indebted to the Subſcriber, they are hereby requeſted to make Payment by the 26th Inſtant, as I then intend putting my Books in the Hands of a Lawyer, with Orders to put all the out-ſtanding Debts immediately in Suit, as ſome of them have been ſhamefully long due, and ought, in Juſtice, to have been paid Two Years ago.

(2w) WILLIAM PARKER.

TO BE SOLD,

THE TIME of an exceeding good BRICK-MAKER, who has Two Years and Eight Months to ſerve. Enquire at the PRINTING-OFFICE.

Eaſtern-Branch of PATOWMACK, *Nov.* 11, 1767.

IN *November* 1766, after advertiſing in the MARYLAND GAZETTE, I offered for Sale, about 280 ACRES of LAND, being Part of a Tract, call'd, THE ROCK OF DUMBARTON, which was conveyed to me by Capt. *George Beall*, in Conſequence of a Bond to his deceaſed Brother *Leven*. At that Time I put it up at a Price which the Relations of the ſaid *Leven Beall* thought it was worth; but only one Bidder appeared: And as I am Security for ſeveral Debts left unpaid by the ſaid *Leven Beall*, and muſt ſell the Land:——I give this Notice to the Relations, and all others, That on Saturday the 12th Day of *December* next, at the Houſe of Mr. JOHN ORME, in *George-Town*, I will ſell the ſaid Land to the higheſt Bidder, and will put it up at Ten Shillings the Acre. The Land is about Two Miles above *George-Town*, and joins *Rock-Creek*, where there is a fine Site for a Mill.

(3w) WALTER EVANS.

To be expoſed to SALE, *and certainly ſold to the higheſt Bidder, on the Premiſes, on Thurſday the* 3d *of* December *next; for Bills of Exchange, or Current Money*,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 220 Acres, adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent* River, *Prince-George's* County, whereon is a good Dwelling-Houſe, 28 by 26 Feet, finiſhed in a neat and convenient Manner, a good Kitchen, 20 by 16 Feet, under which is a ſmall Stone Cellar, and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marſh, which may eaſily be improved; the other Part is very level and good Soil.

(3w) WILLIAM BEANS, Executor to COLMORE BEANS.

To be SOLD, at LANGFORD'S *Bay-Warehouſe, in* Kent *County*, Maryland,

A NEW double deck'd BRIGANTINE, with all her Tackle and Apparel, as ſhe came laſt from Sea, having made one Voyage to the *Weſt-Indies*: She is well built, well found, and between 80 and 100 Tons Burthen, her Sails are of the beſt Canvas, and the greateſt Part of her Rigging *European* made, all new; ſhe is a prime Sailer, very tight, and may be ready to take in a Cargo in 24 Hours. Goods will be taken for Part of the Purchaſe-Money, and reaſonable Time given for the Payment of the Remainder, either in Currency or Sterling. The Subſcriber has Two Veſſels now on the Stocks, for Sale, One about 80 Tons, the other about 160. Any Perſon inclined to purchaſe, may apply to Meſſrs. *Smyth* and *Sadler*, or to their humble Servant,

RICHARD GRESHAM.

N. B. My Reaſon for mentioning the Two on the Stocks, is, that any one who wants, may have the Upper Works turn'd off to ſuit their Fancy, or Convenience. *R. G.*

To be SOLD to the higheſt Bidder, on Saturday the Fifth Day of December,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in *Prince-George's* County, near *Snowdens* Iron-Works, containing Two Hundred Acres; whereon is a good Dwelling-Houſe, Kitchen, Corn-Houſe, Meat-Houſe, Tobacco-Houſe, and all other neceſſary Houſes; the Building of which, coſt 100 Pounds; there is alſo an excellent Apple-Orchard on the ſame. Likewiſe another Tract of Land, called NEAL's CHANCE, containing 100 Acres, by Patent, lying in *Anne-Arundel* County. And on the ſame Day, will be ſold, a Parcel of Choice NEGROES. Likewiſe on the 8th of ſame Month, will be ſold, a Tract of Land, whereon *William Day* now lives, called CHENEY's PURCHASE, containing Sixty-five Acres. All Perſons inclinable to purchaſe, may be ſhewn the Two firſt mentioned Tracts, by *Thomas Welſh*, living near the Premiſes. Thoſe who intend to purchaſe 'twixt and the Day of Sale, may know the Terms, and Title, (which is indiſputable) by applying to

BENJAMIN WELSH.

THE SCHOONER GEORGE, THOMAS DENT, Maſter, (a FREE BOTTOM of this Province) ſail'd from *Patowmack*, the 14th Inſtant, bound to *Philadelphia*, at which Place, ſhe will take in Freight for any Part of *Patowmack* River.——Merchants, and others, who want Goods from thence, are hereby adviſed of this Opportunity, and are requeſted to give immediate Orders to their Correſpondents.

Kent-Iſland, November 19, 1767.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, a Convict Servant Man, named JOSEPH HAINES, about 30 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, ſwarthy Complexion, ſhort black Hair, and his Beard grey, his Body is much ſcarified, if well look'd into, his Cloaths are uncertain; it is thought he is a good Scholar, writes a pretty good Hand, and drolls in Speech.

Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid Servant, ſo as his Maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Four Dollars Reward, paid by JOHN LEGG.

November 16, 1767.

RAN away laſt Sunday Evening, from the Subſcriber, living at the Head of SEVERN, a Convict Servant Man, named JOHN TREND, by Trade a Weaver, about 28 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, much pitted with the Small-Pox, and wears his own Hair, which is ſhort, and of a light Colour: Had on, when he went away, a green Cloth Upper-Jacket, patch'd on the Sleeves with Cloth of a different Colour; a double-breaſted Under-Jacket, of a leaden Colour, with Leather Buttons; an old Pair of white drill Breeches, with a blue Patch on the left Thigh; a Pair of old white Stockings, and old Shoes and Hat.

Whoever takes up or ſecures ſaid Fellow, ſo as I may get him again, ſhall receive a Reward of TWENTY SHILLINGS, beſides what the Law allows, and reaſonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

(1f) EDWARD OSMOND.

Prince-George's County, *November* 11, 1767.

TO BE RENTED,

THE PLANTATION, and Five NEGROES, lately belonging to NICHOLAS LOWE DARNALL, lying in *Baltimore* County, near the Fork of *Gunpowder*, and about 12 Miles from *Baltimore-Town*. The Land is good, and the Buildings upon it new, convenient either for Planting, or Farming. Any Perſon inclinable to Rent, may know the Terms, by applying to FRANCIS HALL.

November 11, 17[illegible]

STRAY'D or STOLEN, from the Subſcriber, Mr. *Francis Waring's*, in *Prince-George's* Coun[illegible] on Friday the 7th of this Inſtant, a white Horſe, [illegible] Eight or Nine Years old, Fourteen Hands high, [illegible] perceivable Brand, Paces faſt, dock'd very ſh[illegible] ſhod before, his Shoes were very looſe, and may [illegible] come off. Whoever will bring the ſaid Horſe to [illegible] Subſcriber, at the above mentioned Place, ſhall [illegible] ceive a Reward of Fifteen ſhillings Currency, [illegible] by (3w) JAMES SW[illegible]

To be Sold by the SUBSCRIBER, *in* Loudoun Co[illegible]

A TRACT of LAND, about Five Miles fr[illegible] *Leeſburgh*, on the Road that leads from *Pe[illegible] ſylvania* to *Carolina*, containing 429 Acres, ext[illegible] ordinary good, and commonly called LOCU[illegible] THICKET; whereon is a new Dwelling-Hou[illegible] with Two Rooms on a Floor, a Stone Chimney, [illegible] Two Fire Places; a Cellar the Size of the Hou[illegible] walled with Stone; a good logg'd Kitchen, with [illegible] Stone Chimney and Oven; a Corn-Houſe; Mea[illegible] Houſe; Diary; and a good new Barn, 50 Feet l[illegible] 24. There is about 100 Acres cleared, all freſh [illegible] and well fenced. Alſo about Eight Acres of Meado[illegible] made, and much more ſuitable. Likewiſe a wa[illegible] improved Lot, in *Leeſburgh*, ſuitable for keepin[illegible] Tavern, or a Store, in the moſt public Part of t[illegible] Town. Time for Payment will be given.

For Terms, apply to the Subſcriber, living in *Le[illegible] burgh*.

(4w) CRAVEN PEYTON.

To be Sold by the SUBSCRIBER, *at his* STORE, *ne[illegible] the Church*, ANNAPOLIS, *upon very reaſonable Term[illegible] ſundry* DRUGS, *of the very beſt Kind*, viz.

TURLINGTON's Balſam; BATEMAN's Drop[illegible] DAFFY's Elixir; STOUGHTON's Bitters; AN[illegible] DERSON, and LOCKER's Pills; Worm Deſtroyin[illegible] Sugar Plumbs; GODFREY's Cordial; Elixir Baroma[illegible] an approved Medicine for the Gout, and Rheuma[illegible] tiſm; Balſam of Honey; King's Honey Water; Court Plaiſter; BRITISH Oil; JAMES's Powder for Fevers; Sago; Iſinglaſs; Nipple Glaſſes, &c.

(4w) THOMAS B. HODGKIN

BALTIMORE-TOWN, *Nov.* 9, 1767.

ATTENDANCE will be conſtantly given at my Store in *Baltimore-Town*, from this Time until the Firſt Day of *January* next, in order to ſettle and adjuſt all Accounts due from, and to, the Eſtates of EDWARD DORSEY, Eſq; and Miſs HENRIETTA MARIA DORSEY, his Daughter, late of the City of *Annapolis*, deceaſed. And whereas the Adminiſtrators on the ſaid Eſtates, hath, by repeated Advertiſements in this GAZETTE, requeſted all thoſe indebted to the ſaid Eſtates, to make immediate Payment, which has hitherto been neglected, I hereby give Notice, That immediately after the Firſt Day of *January* next, the neceſſary Steps at Law will be taken by us, in order to compel every Perſon, without Diſtinction, that are any Ways indebted to ſaid Eſtates, to make Payment of their reſpective Debts, to

JOHN RIDGELY, Adminiſtrator.

To be Sold at PUBLIC VENDUE, *on Monday the* 14*th Day of* December *next, at the Houſe of Mr.* JOSHUA GRIFFITH, *at* Elk-Ridge Landing,

TWO likely Country born Negro WOMEN, and Four likely Negro Children, formerly mortgaged by *Charles Pierpoint*, to *Edward Dorſey*, Eſq; deceaſed.

JOHN RIDGELY,
ELY DORSEY,
T. B. DORSEY,
C. DORSEY, Son of *Rich.*

} Adminiſtrators, *de bonis non*, of EDW[illegible] DORSEY.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, *by the* SUBSCRIBER, *living near the Head of* South-River, *on Friday the* 4*th of* December,

A PARCEL of VALUABLE LAND, containing about 600 ACRES, all in one Body, whereon is a Dwelling-Houſe, 26 Feet in Length and 25 Feet in Breadth, Brick Chimney, with Three Fire Places, Two below Stairs, and One above; Two Rooms on the lower Floor, plaiſtered above and below, with Two Porches, the Sides are covered with Feather-edg'd Plank, the Roof with Cypreſs Shingles, and all in good Repair; Two large Gardens, paled in; a Well in the Yard, ſtoned up; Cellar; Houſe; Kitchen; Quarter; Meat-houſe; Milk-houſe; Corn-houſe; Two logg'd Stables, Dove-tail'd Work, with Plank Loſts; a new Barn, 2[illegible] Feet in Length, 16 Feet in Breadth, the Floo[illegible] plank'd for Threſhing, and the Roof covered wit[illegible] Shingles; a large Apple Orchard, of the beſt [illegible] Fruits; Peach-Orchards; Quince ditto; Cherry ditto; Five large Tobacco-Houſes, and as many Tenements in good Repair, that rents for Fifty Pounds a Year; a Meadow completely cleared; another almoſt clear[illegible] ed; and full Thirty Acres to clear, exceeding rich, with Two other Orchards. The ſaid Land is well watered and timbered. The Subſcriber will give Attendance on every Wedneſday, on the Premiſes, in order to ſhow, and treat with, any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe.

(3w) JOHN WILMOT

*** The Subſcriber has Two TRACTS of LAND lying on the Drafts of *Great-Pipe-Creek*, *Frederick* County, within 14 Miles of *Frederick-Town*, containing 514 Acres, which he will either ſell, lease or rent. The Title is indiſputable.

Baltimore County, *Nov.* 12, 1767.

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, an *English* Convict Servant Man, named WILLIAM THOMSON GILLIARD, about 30 Years of Age, a tall slender Fellow, with a full Mouth, lively dark Eyes, a fair round Face, and short dark Hair: Had on, and took with him, an old Racoon Hat, a Coarse light grey Cloth Coat, light coloured Broad Cloth Jacket, which has been turn'd, and the Button Holes closed on the wrong Side, a Pair of old red Stockings, wove Breeches, a Pair of Tow Linen Trowsers, wears an old Penny tied about his Neck, under his Shirt, with a Silk Cord: He has been Cook to the Duke of NORTHUMBERLAND, and travelled thro' England, Scotland, and France; can speak French, and has been employed as a Schoolmaster. He took away with him a young bright Sorrel Horse, with a white Tail and Mane, has a Blaze in his Face, paces, no Brand, with a good Saddle and Housing. It is likely he will change his Name, and forge a Pass.

Whoever takes up, and brings said Servant to his Master, shall receive THREE POUNDS Reward.

(*4) ABRAHAM JARRETT.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, *in* George-Town, Frederick *County*,

A VALUABLE WATER LOT, with a good DWELLING-HOUSE. For Terms, apply to *Mr. William Deakins*, jun. in *George-Town*.

T. ADDISON, jun.

JOHN BOYD,

Has just Imported from LIVERPOOL, *in the Snow* RACHEL, *Capt.* S. SMITH, (via Philadelphia) *and has for Sale, at* Baltimore,

A Large Quantity of PAINTERS COLOURS, GLASS PHIALS, *&c. &c.*

*** He continues his MEDICINAL STORE, as usual, in all its Branches. (*5)

WANTED,

At HUNTER's *Forges, on the Falls of* Rappahannock *River*, Virginia,

WORKMEN, who understand the FINERY, and CHAFERY Business. Masterly Hands only need apply, to whom suitable Encouragement will be given. (8*) JOHN STRODE.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship SWAN, *Capt.* BANNING, *from* LONDON, *and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his* STORE, *in* Church-Street, ANNAPOLIS, *Wholesale, or Retail, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit*,

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season: As also BRISTOL BEER, SAIL-CLOTH, CHEESE, WINDOW-GLASS, and CYDER.

CHARLES WALLACE.

THIS is to acquaint the Public, that the Subscriber has procured himself good BOATS and HANDS, to cross the Bay, from BROAD-CREEK to ANNAPOLIS, and from ANNAPOLIS to BROAD-CREEK, on KENT-ISLAND, and will carry Passengers as follows: Man and Horse, at 10*s.* Single Man, 5*s.* Single Horse, 7*s.* 6*d.* Chair, 7*s.* 6*d.* He likewise keeps a House of Entertainment at BROAD-CREEK, on KENT-ISLAND, where Travellers may depend on being used in the kindest Manner, by

(tf) JOHN BRYAN.

Prince-George's County, *Sept.* 7, 1767.

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, on Monday Night, the 31st of AUGUST last, a large light coloured grey Horse, near 15 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock B. He has a Ridge Mane and Bob Tail, paces, trots, and gallops, and has been used to draw in a Chaise.

Whoever brings him to the Subscriber, shall have EIGHT DOLLARS Reward, with reasonable Charges, if brought home, and FIVE POUNDS for the Thief, if he be Convicted, paid by

(tf) BENJAMIN HALL, Son of FRANCIS.

Annapolis, October 13, 1767.

JOHN VARANDALL,

BARBER, PERUKEMAKER, *and* HAIR-CUTTER, *From* Mr. ANDREW BUCHANAN's,

HAVING now opened Shop, the opposite House to Mr. *Nathan Hammond*'s, where he intends carrying on that Business, in all its Branches, having furnished himself with Materials from LONDON, for that Purpose.

*** Gentlemen and Ladies, who please to favour him with their Commands, may depend on being waited upon on the shortest Notice, by their humble Servant, JOHN VARANDALL.

THE MEMBERS of the MISSISSIPPI COMPANY, are desired to meet at STAFFORD Court-House, in VIRGINIA, on Wednesday, the Sixteenth of *December*.

(5*) WILLIAM LEE, Secry.

IMPORTED,

In the NELLY, *Capt.* M'KIRDY, *from* GLASGOW, *and to be sold by the Subscriber, at his Store*, CHAPTICO, ST. MARY's *County, for Tobacco, or a very moderate Advance, in Cash, or Bills of Exchange*,

A LUMPING PARCEL of GOODS, consisting of coarse Broad Cloths, Forrest Cloths, *German* Serge, Worsted Shag, and Trimmings, and a few Pieces of *Kendal* Cottons, and coarse Plaiding, to the Amount of Two Hundred Pounds Cost.

(tf) PHILIP BRISCOE.

To be Sold at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the 13th Day of December *next, on the Premises, for Sterling Cash, good Bills of Exchange, Dollars, or Paper-Currency of this Province, or* Pennsylvania,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, containing about 350 Acres, commonly called RICHNECK, lying in *Prince-George's* County, about Three Miles below *Nottingham*, and Four from MAGRUDER's Warehouse, on *Patuxent* River. There are Four TENEMENTS in good Repair, on Two of which are good Apple-Orchards. The Land is well timbered, and remarkable for producing fine Tobacco. (*6) CLEMENT HOLLYDAY.

BALTIMORE-TOWN, *Sept.* 21, 1767.

EDWARD PRESTON, STAYMAKER, *from* LONDON,

At his Shop, opposite Dr. HENRY STEVENSON's, *in* GAY-STREET,

BEGS Leave to inform the Public in general, and the Ladies in particular, that he makes all kind of STAYS in the neatest Manner, and after the newest, most genteel, and best approv'd Fashions, at the same Prices formerly charged by Mr. CHARLES WALLACE, and with the same Abatement, if paid for within a Month after Delivery. Those Ladies who may be pleased to favour him with their Commands, may depend on being serv'd with Dispatch, as he has a proper Supply of every Material suitable for his Business, and a sufficient Number of Assistants. The Measure of STAYS, if not taken by himself, must be measured after the following Manner:

I. From the Top of the Breast, to the End of the Peak.
II. From under the Arm, down as low as the Waist.
III. From the Top of the Back, to the Bottom of the Lace Holes.
IV. Round the Body, over the Breast.
V. Round the Body, over the smallest Part of the Waist.
VI. From Arm to Arm, over the Breast.

*** All Letters (Post paid) with Orders, will be punctually answered, by

Their most humble Servant,

(12*) EDWARD PRESTON.

STRAYED, or STOLEN, from *Elk-Ridge*, a likely Bay MARE, about Thirteen Hands and a Half high, Six Years old, branded on the near Shoulder, P D, with a Star in her Forehead, some White on her Feet, and a white Spot on her Back. She paces, trots, and gallops, and has been lately shod all round.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS Reward, paid by

(tf) BENJAMIN DORSEY.

Oxford, September 24, 1767.

AS a regular Intercourse, by Sea, betwixt MARYLAND and PHILADELPHIA, would be a great Conveniency to the Trade of both Provinces, by affording the Merchants of each Place an Opportunity of getting the Commodities from each other on safer and easier Terms, than they can at present, the Subscriber has bought a large Schooner, called the MARYLAND PACKET, for that Purpose, and will, if due Encouragement is given, run her constantly from *Maryland* to *Philadelphia*, and carry Freight to and from each Province, for the lowest Price he can afford. The Vessel will be address'd to BOND and BYRN, who offer their Service to all the Gentlemen of *Maryland*, who have not an established Correspondence in *Philadelphia*, and will serve them with the utmost Punctuality, for the usual Commissions. Orders to them will meet with quick Dispatch, if sent to the Care of Col. FITZHUGH, at the Mouth of *Patuxent*, to the Subscriber, at *Oxford*, or by the Posts.

(tf) JOHN MARTIN.

*** The Vessel may be expected to arrive at *Philadelphia*, in Two Weeks from the Date hereof.

SCHEME
OF THE
MARYLAND LIBERTY LOTTERY.

THE Lower House of Assembly of MARYLAND, have constantly, and ineffectually, hitherto, since Seventeen Hundred and Thirty-nine, RESOLVED, That his Lordship hath no Right to collect Twelvepence *per* Hogshead on Tobacco exported.

A CONSTITUTIONAL Tax on the People to support an Agent of the Appointment of the Lower House, has been greatly desired, frequently attempted, and as often refused by the Upper House.

THE Lower House of Assembly contend, That the Clerk of the Council his reasonable Reward, as well as every other Expence necessarily attending the Execution of the Powers of Government, ought to be defrayed out of the FINES, FORFEITURES, AMERCIAMENTS, and OTHER MONIES, received by the Government for the Support thereof; and, "That "Sentiment being directly opposite to the Opinion "the Upper House had, on mature Consideration, "formed upon the Subject of the Clerk of the Coun-"cil's Claim," principally occasioned the Non-payment of the Public Debt for upwards of Ten Years: The Distress of Trade for Want of a Circulating Medium, and the extreme Necessity of Public Creditors, compelled the Lower House to agree to an Appeal to his Majesty in Council, on the Subject Matter of Difference, without the Allotment of any Public Money for that Purpose, as the only Means to settle Disputes, restore Public Credit, and lay a sure Foundation for the future Ease and Good of the Province.

A SUBSCRIPTION therefore, by RESOLVE of the Lower House, has been open'd, and Subscriptions are taken in by every Member, for maintaining an Agent, and supporting the Appeal on the Part of the People, as well as obtaining Redress of their OTHER Grievances; and, by RESOLVE also of the Lower House, as an additional Means of raising Money for the same Purposes, the following SCHEME of a LOTTERY, by which to raise ONE THOUSAND POUNDS Common Money, is submitted to the Public.

1	PRIZE	of	£. 500	is	£. 500
1		—	250	—	250
1		—	100	—	100
2		—	50	are	100
2		—	30	—	60
4		—	20	—	80
4		—	15	—	60
10		—	10	—	100
20		—	5	—	100
50		—	4	—	200
80		—	3	—	240
73		—	2 : 10	—	182 : 10
2250		—	2	—	4500
1	First drawn Blank,	-	-	-	13 : 15
1	Last drawn Blank,	-	-	-	13 : 15
2500	Prizes,				£. 6500
2500	Blanks.				
5000	Tickets, at Thirty Shillings each, amount to -				£. 7500
	From which deduct	-	1000		£. 6500

TWO and a Half per Cent to be deducted from the Prizes, to defray the Expences of the Lottery.

THE Drawing to be in the Court-House at ANNAPOLIS, in the Presence of the Managers, and as many of the Adventurers as shall be pleased to attend.

THE Managers are, WILLIAM MURDOCK, Esq; Messieurs THOMAS SPRIGG, WILLIAM PACA, JOHN WEEMS, THOMAS GASSAWAY, *South-River*, THOMAS RINGGOLD, B. T. B. WORTHINGTON, HENRY HALL, JOHN HAMMOND, THOMAS JOHNSON, JOHN HALL, of *Annapolis*, and SAMUEL CHASE, or such of them as shall chuse to act.

THE said Managers to give Bond to the Honourable SPEAKER, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A LIST of the PRIZES to be published in the *MARYLAND* GAZETTE, and the Prizes paid as soon as the Drawing is finished; and those not demanded in Six Months after the Drawing, to be deemed as generously given to the above Use.

The SCHEME to be made public in the *MARYLAND* and *VIRGINIA* GAZETTES, and *PENNSYLVANIA* JOURNAL.

"LIFE, without LIBERTY, is worse than DEATH."

TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers, and of most of the Members of the Lower House of Assembly.

*** There not having been such a full Return of the SALE of TICKETS as could have been wished; rather too many TICKETS to lie on the Risk of the SCHEME, being still unsold; and as the Winter Season will be too far advanced after the *November* County Courts, the MANAGERS have resolved to begin the Drawing, certainly, on the Thursday after the Third Tuesday in *May* next, when many of the Adventurers may attend, with Convenience.——It is hoped by that Time all the TICKETS will be Sold, but if they should not, the PUBLIC may rely on the LOTTERY's being then drawn.

The MANAGERS take this Opportunity to return their hearty Thanks to those Gentlemen who have assisted in the SALE of TICKETS, and beg they will return any they may have unsold, at least a Week before the Drawing.

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